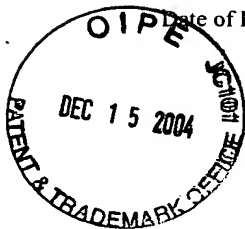


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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (37 CFR § 1.114)

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Dear Sir:

- ☒ Applicant requests continued examination under 37 CFR § 1.114.
- ☒ Applicant is:
- ☐ a small entity, verified statement is:
 - ☐ attached
 - ☐ already filed
 - ☒ other than small entity
- ☒ The fee set forth in § 1.17(e) must be filed along with this request:
- ☒ A check for the § 1.17(e) fee in the amount of \$790.00 is enclosed.
 - ☐ Charge the § 1.17(e) fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.
A duplicate copy of this request is attached.
- ☒ A submission must be filed along with this request. The following submission(s) is(are) filed herewith:

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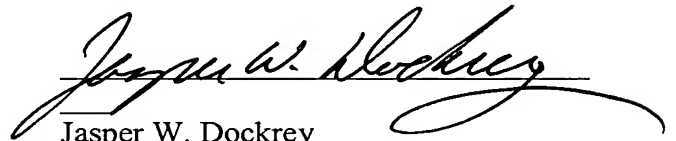
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- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement
- ☒ An Amendment to the written description, claims, or drawings
- ☐ New Arguments and/or New Evidence in Support of Patentability
- ☐ Other: _____
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- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this request is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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